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Public Order Brigade detains two in Fallujah search

FALLUJAH, Iraq – Iraqi Public Order Brigade officers and Coalition forces conducted a cordon and knock in an area suspected of insurgent activity August 20, according to a multinational forces report.

Officers with the 2nd Public Order Brigade and 1/6 U.S. Marines targeted several homes to be searched which were believed to be housing anti-Iraq force operatives involved in the murder of female barbers, trafficking weapons, and planning suicide attacks.

The first house searched yielded Iraqi Army uniforms and insurgent propaganda. One male suspect was detained on the premises who directed officers across the street to the primary target's home.

The target was captured and his computer and vehicle were confiscated. Both men were transported to a detention facility.

No injuries or damages were reported.

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